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Billy Stout, MS4 Program Manager City of Martin 703 North Lindell Street Martin, Tennessee 38237

REF: New MS4 Contact Information Permit No.: TNS077607 Weakley County

Dear Mr. Stout,

You may or may not have been made aware, but on Friday, September 5, 2014, Jere Dougan, of the Division of Water Resources officially retired from State of Tennessee. Mr. Dougan was one of two MS4 inspectors from the Jackson Environmental Field Office (JEFO). Roger Orgain was your inspector prior to Mr. Dougan's retirement.

Due to Mr. Dougan's retirement, the Division of Water Resources in the Jackson Environmental Fielf Office (JEFO) has had to re-allocate responsibilities. As one of the changes related to the re-allocations, I have assumed all MS4 programs covered by the JEFO. The purpose of this letter is an attempt to begin a smooth transition process by making sure you are aware of the changes in personnel overseeing your program and to provide you with the needed contact information for the future.

My name is James Scott and I too work out of the JEFO. In addition to MS4 program monitoring, inspections and assistance, I will continue my current duties of industrial stormwater monitoring and inspections as well as municipal pretreatment inspections. I have 16 years of experience with the State of Tennessee. I am new, however, to the MS4 program, but I have taken an aggressive approach to shortening the learning curve for the program by training with Jere Dougan prior to his retirement and then with the Memphis Environmental Field Office MS4 inspectors. In addition, I attended the recent TNSA Annual Conference held at Henry Horton State Park.

I may not know the answer to your MS4 question(s) but I am confident that I will be able to get you the "correct" answer. As you already know, the MS4 program demands a lot of its municipalities and it will be my desire to assist you along the way to obtaining compliance (if needed) as well as maintaining it. The next few years present a real challenge for the MS4's as the next phase of the program is unveiled, which is the implementation of the permanent "Best

Management Practices" (BMP's) and initiating the Low Impact Design (LID) requirements of the permit.

When I have the opportunity to travel to the respective MS4 municipalities, it is my desire to drop by to introduce myself to you and any of those that may assist in working your program. It is my desire to initiate a positive working relationship so that you and the City of Martin can effectively meet the MS4 challenges that lie ahead.

If you submitted your "Annual Report" (AR) electronically to Roger Orgain, please resubmit to me at the email address below. If you submitted your AR by mail, no additional submittal will be necessary.

My contact information is as follows:

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Looking forward to meeting with you some time in the near future.

Sincerely,

James W. Scott

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